

At the close of the 10th section add the following :

"Provided however, that one-tenth of the gross amount of bounty be annually paid over by the said company to the Treasurer of the State of Maryland, for the benefit of the School Fund, and also one-half of all the net profits of said Doon company, over seven per cent. to be paid over in like manner for the same fund—the said amounts to be ascertained from the books of said company, verified by the oaths of the accounting officers of the company under the penalty of a forfeiture of its charter in default of said annual payments;"

Which was read.

Mr. Ohr submitted the following amendment to the amendment;

Amend the amendment line 1st, by striking out "tenth" and insert "twentieth," and in line four strike out "for the benefit of the school fund," and in line 7, strike out the words "for the same fund."

By unanimous consent of the Senate, Mr. Ohr, from the committee on Elections submitted the following joint resolution:

WHEREAS it has come to the knowledge of this General Assembly that certain of its members have under the operation of the Registry law been disfranchised; and,

WHEREAS all of the said members have taken the oath prescribed by the Constitution, requisite to hold a seat in the Legislature of the State; therefore be it

*Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the said members of this General Assembly should enjoy the elective franchise as well as the power of Legislation.

*Resolved,* That the aforesaid members of this Legislature be, and they are hereby enfranchised; provided that nothing herein contained shall be construed to enfranchise any person now under indictment for perjury under the Registry law, and who shall be convicted thereof.

Which was read the first time.

On motion of Mr. Ohr,

Was read the second time and ordered to be engrossed for a third reading;

Read the third time by special order, three-fourths concurring, and passed by yeas and nays as follow: